PATENT APPLICATION

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For: IMPROVED INPUT BUFFER CIRCUIT FOR SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE

AMENDMENT AND FEE TRANSMITTAL

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified patent application.

A statement to establish small entity status under 37 C.F.R. §§1.9 and 1.27 is attached.

Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. §§1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a statement previously submitted.

No additional claim fee is required.

The claim fee has been calculated as shown below:

	(Column 1)	(Column 2)	(Column 3)	
	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA	
TOTAL CLAIMS	35 MINUS	29	= 6	
INDEP CLAIMS	11 MINUS	11	= 0	
☐ FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEP. CLAIM				

SMALL ENTITY			
	RATE	ADD'L FEE	ב
	x 9	\$	
	x 42	\$	
	+140	\$	2
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OTHER THAN A SMALL ENTITY				
ıR	RATE	ADD'L FEE		
	x 18	\$ 108		
	x 84	\$		
DR	+280	\$		
		\$ 108		

Check number 363869 in the amount of \$858.00 is attached for: RCE (\$750) and additional claims (\$108).

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